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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

YOSHIMURA, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2832

Serial No.: 10/068,970

Examiner: Lincoln D. DONOVAN

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For: RARE EARTH METAL-BASED PERMANENT MAGNET, AND PROCESS FOR
PRODUCING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: March 14, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 13, 2004, for an additional month from February 13, 2005 to March 13, 2005. (A one-month extension was submitted and the one-month fee of \$120.00 was paid on February 14, 2005).

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$330.00, to cover the cost of the additional one-month extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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